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<u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</u> <u>UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 (d) WITH STATEMENT</u> <u>37 CFR 1.97 (e) (1) AND FEE</u>

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SIR:

Submitted herewith are the following:

- 1. Copy of a Japanese Office Action dated August 2, 2007 (and English translation thereof) issued in a counterpart Japanese application;
- 2. IDS Forms;
- 3. Copies of cited documents;
- 4. The USPTO fee of \$180.00 as set forth under 37 CFR 1.17(p) for filing an IDS at this stage of prosecution (after issuance of a final Office Action) is being paid by credit card.

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An English translation of said Japanese Office Action is provided, thereby satisfying the requirements for a concise explanation of relevance for any non-English language publications cited therein (MPEP 609 III A(3)).

English language Abstracts are provided for each of the cited Japanese documents.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97(e)(1)

Each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the present Information Disclosure Statement. Said Communication bears a mailing date of <u>AUGUST 2, 2007</u>.

It is requested that initialed copies of the IDS Forms be returned to indicate that the publications listed therein have been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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